

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS UPDATE

JUNE 2017

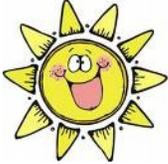




Country Picnic!

Fun! Sun! Awards!

Good Food! Live Music!



Mono County's Proudly Sponsored Athletes!!



Back Row (L-R): Jayden Jarrett, Sandra Pearce, Mike Draper, Wendy Sugimura, Olivia and Justin Nalder, Leah Roman, Nancy Mahannah, Deb Diaz, Heather Edwall, Wendy Guzman Rangel, Stacy Corless, Jenny Senior, Sofia Flores, Pedro Figueroa, Tony Dublino, Mitch Cyr, Jay Sloane

Front Row (L-R): Jake Suppa, the Nalder kids, Yvon Guzman Rangel, Alyssa Damico, Krista Cooper
Winning the 'Guess Your Time' contest were Jake Suppa who was within 33 seconds of his time, Sandra Pearce (:55), and Krista Cooper (1:05)









Big THANK YOU's to: Megg Hawkins for planning the picnic, Don Nunn & Dave Butters for helping with the venue and set up/tear down, Justin Nalder for organizing the 5K, and Sandra Pearce for the photos!



Behavioral Health



Club House Live Field Trip to the Paiute-Shoshone Cultural Center:

CHL took a small road trip to Inyo County to learn more about the Paiute-Shoshone tribe. One of the youth said, “I didn’t know we had a reservation in our area.” Her innocent comment is a reminder that we need to encourage and support the youth in our county to explore and learn

Dear Community Members,

Mono County Clubhouse Live is a free not-for-profit after school program for youth ages 12-18. Our purpose is to provide Mono county youth with a safe place to experience positive interactions with their peers’ and positive adult role models. We are located on the second floor of the Sierra Center Mall – we operate five days per week. Monday – Thursday 3pm-6pm and Friday 3pm-5pm. Clubhouse Live is a drop-in program but our staff work hard to ensure we support all youth who attend our activities with the support they need whether it be homework needs, a ride home after group, or healthy snack or dinner. We provide activities for youth to participate in and even operate during the summer break. Please see the attached summer calendar for events, times and dates of operation. Clubhouse Live is sponsored by Mono County Behavioral Health, Paid for by Proposition 63 and is a collaborative partner with Mono County Probation Department. Clubhouse Live is also sponsored by The Mono County Child Care Council.

Please pass the calendar (in the Events section of this newsletter) to anyone who has or knows of youth who would benefit from this amazing free opportunity. We will be heading out to Benton and to North County-please see calendar for those dates. All youth in Mono County are welcome and parents are also welcome to attend special events or pop in to check out our program and meet our staff. Thank you for your time and support!

Salvador Montanez
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Behavioral Health Services Coordinator
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*These events were
hosted by Behavioral
Health in June.....*



**Bridgeport
June Social**

Bridgeport Memorial Hall

**All are Welcome
Food Fun Friendship
Dinner Provided**

**Wed., June 21, 2017
5:00pm-7:00pm**

Event hosted by Mono County Behavioral Health
For more information contact Debra 760-924-1740
<http://www.monocounty.ca.gov/behavioral-health>

The flyer features a cartoon sun wearing sunglasses and holding a string attached to a barbecue grill. The background is a light green and blue gradient.



**Walker
Community Social**

Walker Wellness Center
107655 Hwy 395 Coleville CA 96107

**All are Welcome
Food Fun Friendship
Dinner Provided**

**Fri., June 30, 2017
5:30pm-7:30pm**

Event hosted by Mono County Behavioral Health
For more information contact Debra 760-924-1740
<http://www.monocounty.ca.gov/behavioral-health>

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**SUMMER FUN!!!
BENTON SOCIAL
OUTDOOR BARBEQUE AND FUN**

**JUNE 30, 2017
5PM-7PM**

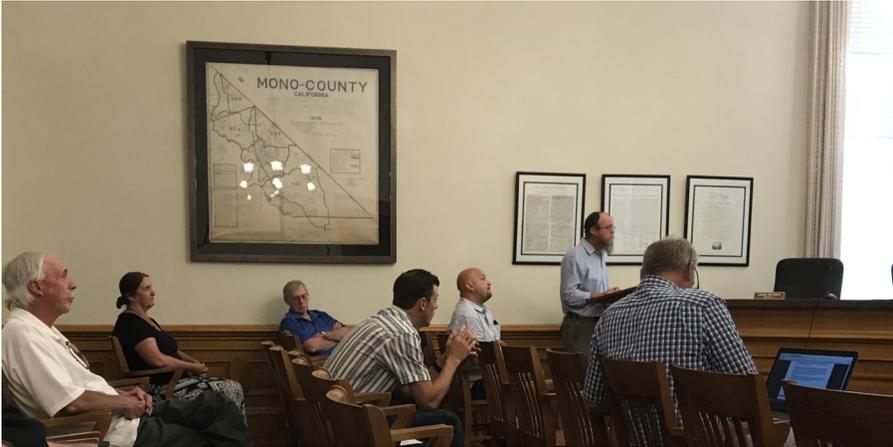
AT THE BENTON COMMUNITY CENTER
FREE AND OPEN TO ALL. FAMILY FRIENDLY EVENT. BRING A SIDE DISH OR DESSERT IF YOU LIKE OR BRING SOMETHING TO SLAP ON THE GRILL. HOSTED BY MCBH AND PAID FOR BY PROPOSITION 63. PLEASE CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE @ [HTTP://WWW.MONOCOUNTY.CA.GOV/BEHAVIORAL-HEALTH](http://www.monocounty.ca.gov/behavioral-health)
SPECIAL GUEST BRYAN WHEELER OF PUBLIC HEALTH WILL BE PRESENTING ON PREVENTATIVE SERVICES.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: SAL MONTANEZ OR SOFIA FLORES @ 760-924-1740

The flyer features a branch with red flowers in the top right corner. The background is a light blue gradient.

Community Development

June Lake – The community of June Lake has concluded a series of neighborhood meetings on short-term rentals led by **Wendy Sugimura**. After considerable discussion, public input and data, short-term rental policies and regulations were created for each neighborhood. The results will be incorporated into the June Lake Area Plan, which is part of Mono County's General Plan, and forwarded to the Planning Commission and Board of Supervisors for consideration.



Planning Commission – During a lengthy meeting June 15, the Planning Commission approved conditional use permit applications presented by **Paul McFarland** to provide telecommunications service to Mono City, south of Chalfant, Sunny Slopes, Aspen Springs, Tom's Place, Swall Meadows, Paradise, Benton, Benton Hot Springs, Bridgeport and Walker. Commission



approved the Crowley Lake Skatepark final design presented by **Peter Chapman**, and interpreted a conditional use permit to allow short-term rental at a property on Kingsley Street in Bridgeport. **Gerry Le Francois** also presented another short-term rental use permit at Crowley Lake, which was approved. An arts and crafts gallery in Walker was granted a conditional use permit (see photos).

Land Development Technical Advisory Committee – The LDTAC, comprised of Environmental Health, Public Works, and Building/Planning/Compliance, provides technical review of potential development projects in the county. At the June 19 meeting, led by **Gerry Le Francois**, the LDTAC discussed workforce housing proposal at Adobe Meadows, RV storage at Sierra Business Park outside Mammoth, conversion of garage/laundry facility into motel units at June Lake, and Round Fire restoration efforts at Swall Meadows. At its July 3 meeting, also conducted by **Gerry Le Francois**, the LDTAC discussed a parcel map at June Lake, land use designation change at Benton Crossing Road, parcel subdivision at Sunny Slopes, short-term rental at McGee Creek, and a motorcycle lodge on outskirts of Bridgeport.

June Lake CAC – The Citizens Advisory Committee met July 5 for an update on cannabis **polices** in Mono County by **Michael Draper**. Residents expressed interest in **an** economic analysis (taxes, fees, job creation), maximum square footage for retail outlets, water usage, waste disposal, and returning moneys to communities where activities are located. The consensus of 25 attendees was to ban outdoor growing in yards. **Gerry Le Francois** led an extensive discussion of trails within the community. A potential new trails network in June Lake will be multi-use and connect existing trails to the community. Residents expressed concern for parking at trail heads and a need for exclusive mountain bike trails to keep adventurous riders from creating unsanctioned trails. A weekend of trail workshops begins Saturday, July 8, with an indoor training session from 9 to 5 at Mammoth Lakes Fire Station, and Sunday, July 9, focuses on outdoor trail work starting at Sherwins trailhead at 9 am. The events are coordinated by Mammoth Lakes Trail System in partnership with USFS, featuring renowned trail builder **Woody Keen** of Trail Wisdom and special guests from various agencies. Space is limited, so reserve a spot at rsvp@mltpa.org

Fond farewell – The CDD bid adieu to **Paul McFarland**, assistant planner, and **Justin Nalder**, planning intern. Both made appreciable contributions to planning efforts during their tenure, and staff wishes them all best.

The County Administrative Office Welcomes...



...Tony Dublino as our new Assistant CAO!

Tony comes to us from Public Works. He was originally hired in Community Development as an Assistant Planner in November of 2008. He was then promoted to Associate Planner in 2010. In June of 2012, he transferred to Public Works to work as the Solid Waste Superintendent. In June of 2014, he took on some additional responsibilities including Environmental Services (Conway Ranch, et al). Tony and his family live in Bridgeport.

...Delilah Balatti as our new Human Resources Generalist!

Delilah join us from Payroll where she spent 1 1/2 years as a Fiscal & Technical Specialist IV. Hired in May of 2015, Delilah began as a FTS II, spending 50% of her time in the Treasurer-Tax Collector's Office and 50% in Payroll. In November of 2015, she was promoted to FTS IV & transferred to Payroll fulltime. She and her family live in Topaz Ranch Estates.



The Cannon at the Bridgeport Courthouse gets a face lift



Built in 1881, the cannon on the Courthouse lawn in Bridgeport was in need of some TLC. Above, is the newly refurbished cannon. Thanks go out to Steve Noble of the Ruby Inn, on the left in the bottom photo, who managed this project with CSA funds. Additional thanks go to Loren Marcus, (Wheelwright) of Marcus Wagon Works, Oroville California, on the right in the bottom photo.



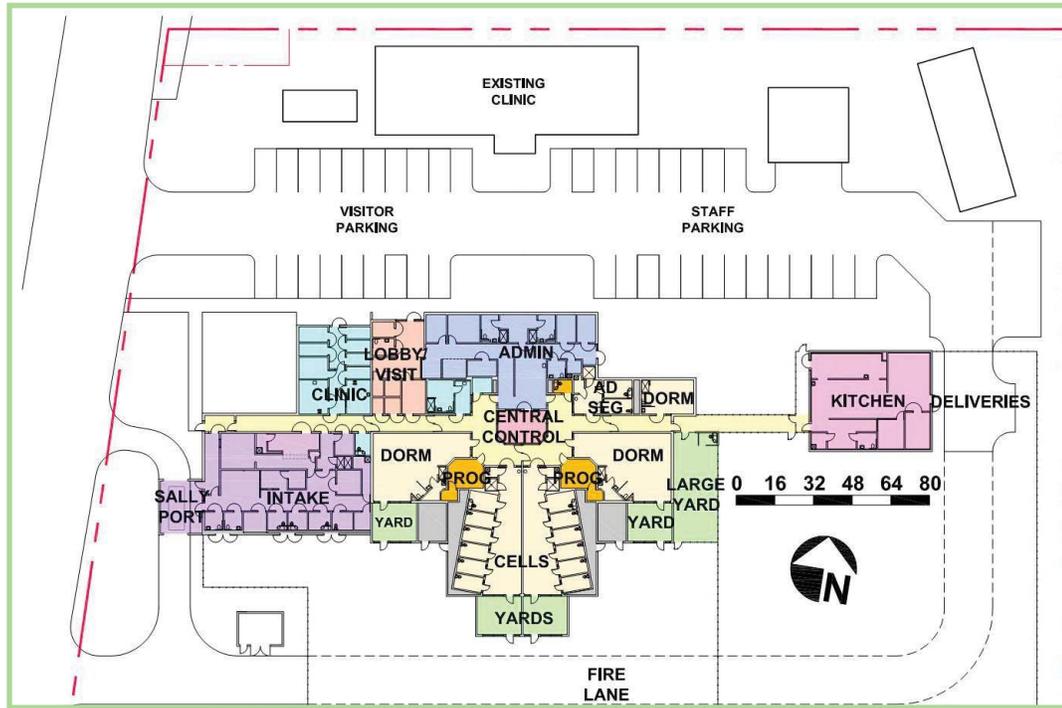
Public Works applies for funding for new Jail

The Mono County Jail currently does not have any space to hold any of the offered programs. Currently, all programs are held in the booking / sobering cell hallway. There is also no space for private mental health counseling and a converted holding cell is used for medical visits. Public Works submitted an application for a new jail at the end of February. The application was ranked 5th out of 8 small counties and is recommended for the full \$25,000,000 requested. Acceptance from the Board of State and Community Corrections initiates the next steps of a four-year project that will include demolishing the Bridgeport Hospital and designing and constructing the new jail.



Street and bird's eye view artist renderings of the proposed new jail.





Layout of the new jail as proposed in the recent application.

Sheriff's Department

Deputy Mark Hanson gets sworn in as Sergeant by Sheriff Braun on June 13, 2017.



Staff Development promotes Cross County Collaboration

Mono, Inyo, and Alpine County Departments of Social Services continued their successful collaborative professional development program over this last fiscal year. Staff development is critical to building and maintaining employee skill level and job satisfaction, and promoting and practicing cross-county collaboration. In addition to the obvious benefits of training together, learning together, and working across county-boundaries, we tend to attract a wider variety of presenters excited about working with all three departments collectively. Regular, post-training cross-county meetings and conversations keeps the practice moving forward.

Mono Social Services staff attended 170 trainings totaling 3,074 person-hours of job-related training in FY 2016-17. Staff from Inyo and Alpine Counties attended 43 hours of training at Mono County-sponsored trainings, and Mono County staff attended 49 hours of training at Inyo and Alpine-sponsored trainings. Mono County Behavioral Health, Probation and our Social Workers participated in 42 hours of training together on topics surrounding Resource Family Approval (Foster Care).

Our friends at Merced County allowed two of our staff to attend Induction Training for CalWORKs, CalFresh and Medi-Cal programs for a total of 536 hours of classroom and field training. All at no cost to Mono County. Thank you, Merced!!



Craft day at the Antelope Valley Senior Center





Volunteers needed: Give just a little, or give a lot!

The Antelope Valley Thrift Store is looking for a few good men and women to volunteer at the Thrift Store. This unique thrift store is located next to the Senior Center and has a bit of everything and anything you might need. Some of the proceeds from the store helps the Senior Center with the purchase of materials and supplies for monthly birthday parties, bingo night, movie viewing, arts and crafts activities, and much more.

Volunteers are needed to help customers find treasure within the store, assist with receiving items, and keeping the store organized. This is a wonderful community-run, community-based partnership and a few hours of local volunteerism can make all the difference! Any number of volunteer hours is appreciated – we'll take whatever you can give.

To volunteer and for more information, call Mariann 530/495-1200. The Thrift Store is open 9:30 AM to 3:30 PM, closed Sunday, located at 399 Mule Deer Rd, Walker.

The Thrift Store and Recycling Center Board meets the 2nd Thursday of every month at 2:00 PM at the Senior Center. The Board invites participation – all are welcome to attend! Also, the Board is looking for members. If you are 55 years of age or older and want to get involved with this marvelous group of volunteers, please let us know!



current events



Behavioral Health

SIERRA WELLNESS CENTER **JULY 2017** Join us for FUN & FREE activities!

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
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Food, Fun, Friendship!
Dinner Provided!**



Happy 4th of July

Wed., July 19, 2017

5:00pm-7:00pm

Bridgeport July Social

*Bridgeport
Memorial
Hall*



*Please visit our
website:
[http://
www.monocounty.ca
.gov/behavioral-
health](http://www.monocounty.ca.gov/behavioral-health)*

*Event hosted by Mono
County Behavioral Health*

*For more information contact
Debra (760) 924-1740*

Clubhouse Live Summer Program

June 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2 Last Day of School Eastern Sierra	3
4	5	6	7	8	9 Last Day of School Mammoth Unified	10
11	12	13	14	15	16 Summer Program Kick-off June lake 12-4	17
18	19 Shady Rest Park 1-4	20 Explore Mammoth 1-4	21 Paiute Shoshone cultural center	22 Animal Shelter/ Whitmore 1-4	23 June Lake 12-4	24
25	26 Shady Rest Park 1-4	27 Explore Mammoth 1-4	28 North County All day Event	29 Animal Shelter/ Whitmore 1-4	30 Benton Social All day event	

Día de Campo con la Familia

Foro Latino #7



5 de Agosto 2017

11 am- 2pm

Parque Shady Rest



El Comité Cultural de Salud Mental los invita a pasar un día de campo con la familia.

- Comida gratuita
- Temas importantes e interesantes de beneficio para toda la familia
- Departamentos del Condado de Mono y agencias locales
- Diversión para toda la familia

Para mayor información por favor comuníquese al (760) 924-1740

<https://www.facebook.com/saludmentalmonocounty/>

<https://www.monocounty.ca.gov/behavioral-health>

Evento auspiciado por la Proposición 63 del Departamento de Salud Mental

Please share the flyer above with anyone who would benefit from the event. We are hoping that other departments and local agencies can attend and provide information on their services. If your department is interested in attending, please contact Bertha Jimenez at Bjimenez@mono.ca.gov or myself at sflores@mono.ca.gov.

The Foro Latino is a safe and culturally competent environment where individuals in the Latino Community can find information and answers to their questions. Our hope is to connect the community to the various resources our county has to offer. We have an open conversation structure where individuals can ask questions as they please.

Our summer event will be August 5th from 11:00-2:00 pm at the Shady Rest Park.

Food will be provided.

I hope everyone is enjoying the warm weather. We look forward to seeing you at the event!

Sofia Flores
Case Manager
Mono County Behavioral Health
760-924-1740

Community Development

Local Transportation Commission – July 10 meeting canceled. Next meeting August 14.

Bridgeport Valley RPAC – July 11 at 7 pm, Twin Lakes Annex conference room

Mono Basin RPAC – July 12 at 6:30 pm, Lee Vining Community Center

Planning Commission – July 20 at 10 am, Supervisors Chambers, County Courthouse, Bridgeport (teleconference at Town/County Conference Room (above Giovanni's Pizzeria), Minaret Village Mall, Mammoth Lakes.

Long Valley RPAC – July 26 at 6:30 pm, at Crowley Lake Community Center

Collaborative Planning Team – July 27 at 9 am. The CPT, comprised of federal, state and local agency directors and tribal representatives, meets quarterly at Town/County Conference Room (above Giovanni's Pizzeria), Minaret Village Mall, Mammoth Lakes, to discuss common areas of interest.

CONTACT: CD Ritter, 760.924.1804

PROBATION



Several of the Drug Court Team head to Washington D.C. on July 7, 2017 for the National Drug Court Conference. Officers Jon Himelhoch and Stacie Casabian and Rich Bonneau from Behavioral Health attended to learn more about Collaborative Courts, hear about cutting edge research and make contacts with other collaborative court professionals.

DO 1 THING

GOAL FOR JULY: Family Communication Plan

Have the ability to communicate with family members during an emergency or disaster.



Usually staying in touch is simple with cell phones, internet, and email, but emergencies and disasters things can change. Cell phone towers quickly become overloaded with people trying to reach family and friends.

❖ **Develop a plan for how your family will stay in touch during a disaster.**

- ❖ Include phone numbers for all family members and those who can give you extra help, such as caregivers. Include work, school, and daycare numbers. Post the communication plan by a phone in your home, and include it in your go bag as well.
- ❖ Set up an Outside the Area Contact: When local circuits are overloaded, you may be able to make long distance calls. Choose someone outside of the local calling area so each family member can call the “outside the area” contact and leave a message for the others.



❖ **Have a phone with a cord and a car charger for your cell phone standing by in case of a power failure.**



- ❖ Cordless phone headsets won't work if the power is out. If you have a land line be sure you have at least one phone with a cord in case of a power outage.
- ❖ Keep a cell phone car charger in your vehicle so you can still charge your cell phone in your car if the power is out.
- ❖ A text message from your cell phone may go through when a phone call won't.

❖ **Program *In Case of Emergency (ICE)* numbers into all family cell phones.**

- ❖ If you have a cell phone, you can provide the phone numbers for your emergency contacts to first responders and hospital staff if you are hurt and can't talk.
 1. Create a new contact in your cell phone's phone book.
 2. Name the contact ICE.
 3. Enter all phone numbers for the person you would like have notified in a medical emergency.



Check out this link for more information and help getting prepared:

<http://do1thing.com/audiences/individuals>